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Message

Dear Gov. Cooper,

As a citizen of Beaufort, North Carolina, I'm writing to ask that you oppose construction of the proposed Atlantic Coast Pipeline.

According to the Sierra Club, the ACP will cross more than 320 streams, rivers, and wetlands in North Carolina, putting our waters at risk of pollution and long-term harm -- this at a time when our state already faces significant drought possibilities. NC streams and wetlands would be damaged by trenching, blasting, and stream bank erosion, and we're going to lose important forested wetlands.

For all of these reasons, I hope you will oppose construction of this polluting pipeline. I also feel that the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) should not approve the submitted Application for 401 Water Quality Certification because it does not include enough details about which streams would be subjected to trenching, cofferdams, or in-stream blasting. Without site-specific details, how can DEQ be certain of what the water quality impacts would be? DEQ should therefore not approve the Application for 401 Water Quality Certification under these circumstances.

I appreciate your leadership in acting as Governor for ALL North Carolinians, and hope you will do what's best for the state and its citizens in this matter.

Thank you for your service and leadership,

Alan Frank

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